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NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS	JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a)Alberta Corporations	11,950	11,246	-5.9	1,089	1022	-6.2	1,104	1,038	-6.0
b)Non-Alberta Corporations	1,302	1,170	-10.1	133	121	-9.0	122	123	-0.8



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CURRENT ECONOMIC INDICATORS
OCTOBER 1991
HIGHLIGHTS

Employment/Unemployment: The unadjusted unemployment rate in Alberta increased from 7.4% in September to 7.7% in October 1991 but remained the second lowest rate in Canada well below the national rate of 9.4%. The number of unemployed increased by 4,000 persons over the two month period while employment declined by 3,000. By industry, unemployment rates increased in agriculture, logging and forestry, manufacturing, construction, and retail trade in October. Rates declined in mining, business services, health and social services, and accommodation food and beverages.

Housing: The total value of building permits in Alberta increased by 13.6% in August 1991 compared to August 1990. The gain was attributable to moderate increases in residential activity, strong gains in the institutional/government category, and less severe declines in industrial and commercial permits. Although the total number of urban dwelling starts has declined by 41.6% on a year-to-date basis, the total September 1991 figures were virtually unchanged from the same month last year.

International Travelers: The total number of non-residents entering Alberta in August 1991 increased by 1.3% compared to August 1990. Increasing visitations from Germany, the Netherlands, and Hong Kong contributed to the improved numbers. (Note: U.S. figures exclude same-day entries. See data table for additional note).

Domestic Trade: Restaurant, caterers and tavern receipts declined by 7.0% in July 1991 compared to July 1990 and by 5.2% on a year-to-date basis. Continued weakness in retail trade was evident in Alberta in August though the 4.8% decline for the province on a year-to-date basis was not as severe as the 6.3% national drop.

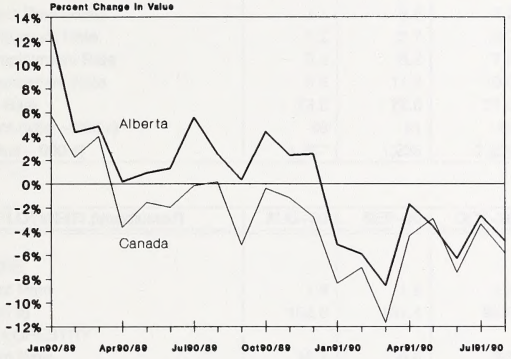
Manufacturing: Manufacturing shipments in Alberta declined by 5.4% in September 1991 compared to September 1990 despite relatively strong gains in beverages, primary metals, paper and allied products, and electronics among others. Shipments have, nonetheless, increased by 0.6% over the first three quarters of the year, the strongest and only growth in Canada.

Energy: Natural gas production in Alberta declined by 1.0% in July 1991 compared to July 1990 while crude oil and equivalents production dropped 0.8% over the same period. Rig activity continued to slow on a year-over-year basis with the number of rigs drilling in September 1991 down 13.1% over the figure for the same month last year.

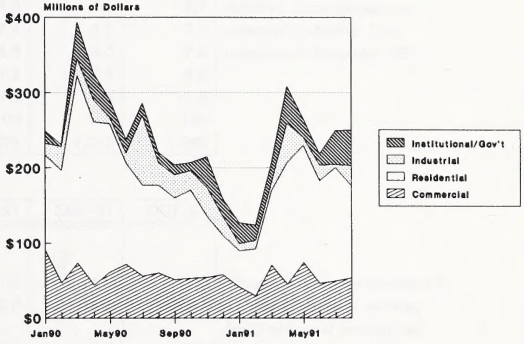
Exports: Export values continued to post impressive gains into August with the 1991 value up 17.0% over August 1990. End products registered a more than threefold gain over the period while crude and fabricated materials exports contributed modest gains. Total value has increased by 14.4% on a year-to-date basis, the best performance in Canada.

Bankruptcies/Incorporations: Both business and consumer bankruptcies increased in September 1991 over September 1990, by 37.3% and 41.3% respectively. Incorporations of Alberta firms declined by 6.2% in August 1991 over August 1990 while incorporations of non-Alberta firms fell by 9.0%.

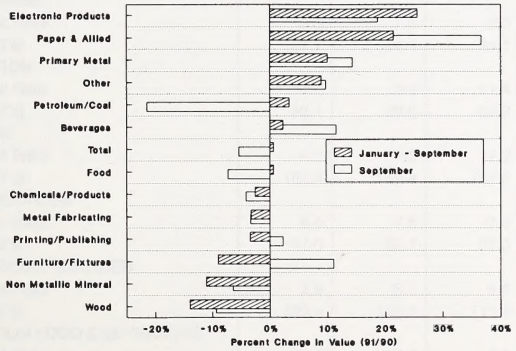
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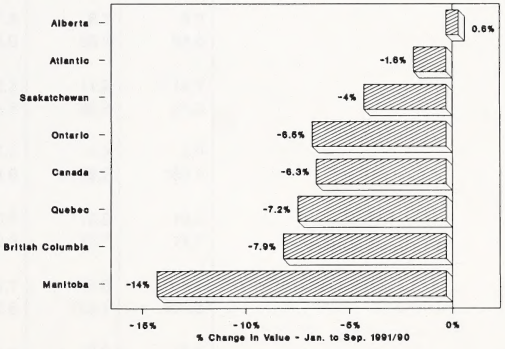
BUILDING PERMITS - Alberta

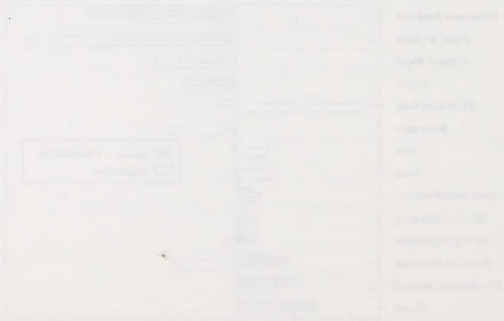


MANUFACTURING SHIPMENTS - Alberta



MANUFACTURING SHIPMENTS - Provinces





CURRENT ECONOMIC INDICATORS

October 1991

UNEMPLOYMENT (unadjusted)	AUG-90	SEP-90	OCT-90	AUG-91	SEP-91	OCT-91
Alberta						
a) Unemployment Rate (total)	7.1	6.8	7.2	7.8	7.4	7.7
b) Male Unemployment Rate	6.2	5.7	6.7	7.4	6.9	7.7
c) Female Unemployment Rate	8.2	8.2	7.8	8.3	8.0	7.6
d) Youth Unemployment Rate	9.6	11.0	10.0	11.2	9.8	9.9
e) Participation Rate	73.6	72.0	71.5	73.9	71.9	71.8
f) Unemployment (total - 000's)	96	91	95	108	100	104
g) Employed (total - 000's)	1,257	1,235	1,225	1,279	1,252	1,249

Alberta's unemployment rate increased in October 1991 compared to September 1991.

INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT (unadjusted)	AUG-90	SEP-90	OCT-90	AUG-91	SEP-91	OCT-91
Alberta						
a) AGRICULTURE						
Unemployment Rate	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	2.5
Employed (000's)	102.8	101.4	95.0	105.9	99.9	95.1
b) LOGGING & FORESTRY						
Unemployment Rate	16.7	8.0	3.8	4.7	5.7	23.3
Employed (000's)	2.5	2.3	2.5	4.1	3.3	2.3
c) MINING						
Unemployment Rate	4.4	5.9	5.2	7.0	8.1	6.6
Employed (000's)	75.3	66.0	66.1	71.6	65.3	68.3
d) MANUFACTURING						
Unemployment Rate	5.3	7.5	8.0	7.6	8.7	9.3
Employed (000's)	97.7	94.4	94.1	93.0	89.9	94.0
e) CONSTRUCTION						
Unemployment Rate	11.2	9.8	11.4	13.3	11.2	14.7
Employed (000's)	92.1	90.6	83.8	95.6	86.9	84.3
f) RETAIL TRADE						
Unemployment Rate	6.9	7.0	7.9	7.7	6.6	6.9
Employed (000's)	162.6	159.4	159.6	154.9	158.2	160.8
g) BUSINESS SERVICES						
Unemployment Rate	6.0	7.5	7.3	10.7	10.6	10.3
Employed (000's)	73.0	67.7	69.5	72.3	72.7	71.7
h) HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES						
Unemployment Rate	2.9	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.8	4.9
Employed (000's)	109.4	110.7	110.2	110.6	109.1	109.3
i) ACCOMODATION FOOD & BEVERAGES						
Unemployment Rate	12.5	12.5	13.9	14.4	12.5	12.1
Employed (000's)	72.5	72.0	75.9	85.1	86.1	86.6

Unemployment rates decreased in the mining, business services, health and social services, and accommodation food and beverages industries in October 1991 over September 1991 and increased in remaining sectors listed.

BUILDING PERMITS ($millions)	JANUARY - AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Total Value	2,207.1	1,748.1	-20.8	285.1	249.6	-12.5	220.3	250.3	13.6
b) Residential	1,297.9	938.2	-27.7	120.7	151.3	25.4	116.8	122.4	4.8
c) Industrial	242.5	147.3	-39.3	92.4	4.3	-95.3	30.0	27.4	-8.7
d) Commercial	495.1	409.1	-17.4	56.0	48.9	-12.7	59.9	53.6	-10.5
e) Institutional/Government	171.6	253.5	47.7	16.0	45.1	181.9	13.5	47.0	248.1

The value of building permits increased in August 1991 compared to August 1990 with gains posted in the residential and institutional/government categories.

DWELLING STARTS (urban)	JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Single Detached	9,718	5,894	-39.3	688	855	24.3	758	769	1.5
b) Two Family	494	328	-33.6	58	54	-6.9	46	30	-34.8
c) Row	826	471	-43.0	49	83	69.4	25	97	288.0
d) Apartments	1,188	448	-62.3	158	83	-47.5	103	37	-64.1

Performace was mixed in September though the major category - single detached starts - continued to post improved figures.

INTERNATIONAL TRAVELERS NON-RESIDENTS ENTERING	JANUARY - AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a)Total	492,616	484,468	-1.7	147,711	134,615	-8.9	113,271	114,740	1.3
b)U.S.A	324,188	313,717	-3.2	100,209	89,777	-10.4	75,076	75,069	0.0
c)Germany	13,350	16,822	26.0	3,591	4,585	27.7	3,289	4,223	28.4
d)Netherlands	4,483	5,333	19.0	1,390	1,534	10.4	897	980	9.3
e)Switzerland	3,075	3,355	9.1	930	974	4.7	545	531	-2.6
f)United Kingdom	22,529	23,623	4.9	6,125	6,111	-0.2	4,953	4,653	-6.1
g)Hong Kong	974	1,080	10.9	276	299	8.3	293	341	16.4
h)Japan	12,652	9,936	-21.5	2,443	2,193	-10.2	3,480	3,176	-8.7
i)Australia	5,134	3,630	-29.3	1,904	799	-58.0	779	720	-7.6

Travelers entering Alberta increased by 1.3% in August 1991 compared to August 1990.

(Note:Figures given are for non-residents entering Alberta directly. Consequently, actual totals will be understated as significant numbers of travelers enter via other provinces. This movement will not be reflected in this table.)

RESTAURANT CATERERS & TAVERN RECEIPTS ($ Mln)	JANUARY - JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JUNE 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta	990.6	939.1	-5.2	154.9	143.1	-7.6	156.9	145.9	-7.0

Receipts declined in July.

RETAIL TRADE ($millions)	JANUARY - AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Total All Stores	12,824	12,209	-4.8	1,648	1,604	-2.7	1,714	1,632	-4.8

Receipts declined in August.

MANUFACTURING (Value of shipments of goods of own manufacture $millions)	JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Total	13,915.4	14,005.2	0.6	1,586.0	1,609.2	1.5	1,626.6	1,538.3	-5.4
b) Food	3,099.2	3,117.2	0.6	357.6	337.6	-5.6	346.3	321.1	-7.3
c) Beverage	253.8	259.4	2.2	29.1	34.1	17.2	25.2	28.1	11.5
d) Primary Metal	659.6	725.3	10.0	65.1	77.0	18.3	65.6	75.0	14.3
e) Metal Fabricating	776.4	750.8	-3.3	93.1	99.1	6.4	84.2	81.3	-3.4
f) Printing Publishing	572.0	551.7	-3.5	62.1	59.5	-4.2	58.1	59.4	2.2
g) Non-Metallic Mineral Products	478.2	425.1	-11.1	67.2	60.7	-9.7	65.6	61.4	-6.4
h) Petroleum/Coal Products	2,422.1	2,502.5	3.3	297.6	315.4	6.0	376.2	295.2	-21.5
i) Chemicals and Chemical Products	2,428.5	2,365.9	-2.6	267.2	248.2	-7.1	256.2	245.5	-4.2
j) Wood	724.2	622.9	-14.0	80.4	74.8	-7.0	76.9	69.7	-9.4
k) Furniture and Fixtures	181.3	165.0	-9.0	19.8	16.2	-18.2	18.2	20.2	11.0
l) Paper and Allied	526.3	638.8	21.4	57.2	75.6	32.2	54.0	73.8	36.7
m) Electronic Products	384.2	482.0	25.5	33.0	56.8	72.1	50.3	59.7	18.7
n) Other	189.2	206.0	8.9	21.2	24.7	16.5	22.6	24.8	9.7

Though the August increase is greater than originally reported, total shipments declined by 5.4% in September 1991 compared to September 1990.

ENERGY	JANUARY - JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JUNE 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Natural Gas Production (millions of cubic metres)	67,151.0	69,474.3	3.5	8,788.9	8,990.3	2.3	9,100.8	9,005.9	-1.0
b) Crude Oil and Equivalents Production (thousands of cubic metres)	45,191.1	45,627.4	1.0	6,285.7	6,410.3	2.0	6,772.5	6,717.6	-0.8

Energy production declined in both categories in July 1991 compared to July 1990.

RIG ACTIVITY	AVERAGE JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Drilling activity	123	121	-1.6	108	92	-14.8	107	93	-13.1
b) Available	378	357	-5.6	369	349	-5.4	366	353	-3.6
OIL PRICE (W.T.I. - $U.S.)	22.06	21.37	-3.1	27.18	21.68	-20.2	33.69	21.86	-35.1

Rig activity continued to decline in September.

AGRICULTURE - Farm Cash Receipts ($millions)	JANUARY - JUNE 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JANUARY - MARCH 1989	1990	PER-CENT CHANGE	APRIL - JUNE 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Total From Operations	965.7	946.7	-2.0	1,286.3	1,209.4	-6.0	965.7	946.7	-2.0
b) Crops	319.7	332.4	4.0	663.7	565.2	-14.8	319.7	332.4	4.0
c) Livestock	616.6	607.1	-1.5	558.9	579.4	3.7	616.6	607.1	-1.5

Total farm cash receipts declined in value in the second quarter of 1991 compared to 1990

EXPORTS ($millions)	JANUARY - AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Total	9,453.6	10,819.5	14.4	1,093.8	1,153.4	5.4	1,169.2	1,368.5	17.0
b) Crude Materials	5,433.7	6,519.9	20.0	640.9	705.0	10.0	719.4	730.6	1.6
c) Fabricated Materials	1,915.9	2,142.2	11.8	226.1	236.8	4.7	240.7	250.0	3.9
d) End Products	494.3	730.9	47.9	83.9	41.5	-50.5	57.1	243.6	326.6
e) Other	1,609.7	1,426.5	-11.4	142.9	170.1	19.0	152.0	144.2	-5.1

Led by gains in end products, the total value of exports increased by 17.0% in August 1991, compared to August 1990.

BANKRUPTCIES	JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	SEPTEMBER 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a) Business	801	1,014	26.6	101	87	-13.9	83	114	37.3
b) Consumer	2,656	4,063	53.0	392	473	20.7	317	448	41.3

Bankruptcies increased in both categories in September.

NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS	JANUARY - AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	JULY 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE	AUGUST 1990	1991	PER-CENT CHANGE
Alberta									
a)Alberta Corporations	10,846	10,208	-5.9	1,122	991	-11.7	1,089	1,022	-6.2
b)Non-Alberta Corporations	1,180	1,047	-11.3	110	127	15.5	133	121	-9.0

Incorporations declined in both categories in August.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX 1986=100 (Canada and Selected Cities)	ANNUAL RATES			1991						
	1988	1989	1990	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT
a) Canada	108.6	114.0	119.5	125.5	126.1	126.7	126.8	126.9	126.7	126.5
b) Edmonton	107.1	111.8	117.8	123.4	124.6	124.6	125.2	125.3	125.2	124.8
c) Calgary	106.6	110.7	117.6	123.3	124.3	124.6	125.5	125.9	125.7	125.3
d) Halifax	107.4	112.5	118.2	124.8	125.1	125.0	125.1	124.8	125.2	125.2
e) Toronto	110.9	117.9	123.4	127.8	128.7	129.4	129.6	129.6	129.1	128.7
f) Winnipeg	108.5	113.7	118.9	124.5	124.4	125.0	125.4	125.6	125.6	125.0
g) Vancouver	106.8	111.5	117.6	123.3	123.5	124.0	123.9	123.9	124.1	124.1

Halifax and Vancouver posted no growth in the price index in October over September while the remaining cities listed registered declines.

EXCHANGE RATES (in $CDN)	ANNUAL AVERAGE			1991						
	1988	1989	1990	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT
a) United States	1.2307	1.1839	1.1668	1.1533	1.1496	1.1437	1.1491	1.1447	1.1368	1.1279
b) Japan	0.0096	0.0086	0.0081	0.0084	0.0083	0.0081	0.0083	0.0084	0.0085	0.0086
c) Germany	0.7027	0.6308	0.7239	0.6778	0.6692	0.6418	0.6438	0.6564	0.6718	0.6679
d) United Kingdom	2.1926	1.9414	2.0824	2.0188	1.9832	1.8875	1.8976	1.9268	1.9635	1.9439
e) France	0.2072	0.1859	0.2148	0.2006	0.1974	0.1892	0.1897	0.1932	0.1974	0.1959

The Canadian dollar declined in value against the Yen but increased against all other currencies listed in October 1991 over September 1991.

INTEREST RATES (Prime Rates)	ANNUAL AVERAGE			1991						
	1988	1989	1990	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT
a) Canada	10.8	13.3	14.1	10.75	9.75	9.75	9.75	9.75	9.50	8.75
b) United States	9.4	10.9	10.0	9.00	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.00	8.00

The Canadian prime declined by 75 basis points in October.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX 1985=100 (Selected Countries)	ANNUAL AVERAGE			1991						
	1988	1989	1990	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG
a)Canada	113.1	118.7	124.4	130.2	130.7	130.7	131.3	132.0	132.0	132.1
b)United States	109.9	115.2	121.4	125.3	125.5	125.7	126.0	126.4	126.6	127.0
c)Japan	101.4	103.7	106.9	109.2	109.7	110.2	110.7	110.3	103.0	N/A
d)Germany	101.4	104.2	107.0	109.1	109.0	109.5	109.9	110.5	111.6	111.5
e)United Kingdom	113.0	121.8	133.4	138.4	138.9	140.7	141.2	141.8	N/A	N/A
f)France	108.8	112.6	116.4	118.7	118.8	119.2	119.5	119.8	120.3	120.5

Upward pressure on prices has been moderate to nil in recent months.

INTERPROVINCIAL COMPARISON OF ECONOMIC INDICATORS

	ATLANTIC	QUEBEC	ONTARIO	MAN.	SASK.	ALBERTA	B.C.	CANADA	
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (unadjusted)									
a) OCTOBER 1990	12.2	10.5	6.7	6.1	6.2	7.2	7.9	8.2	*Alberta's unemployment rate was the*
b) OCTOBER 1991	14.0	10.7	8.9	8.7	6.5	7.7	8.9	9.4	*second lowest in Canada in October.*
EMPLOYED (unadjusted 000's)									
a) OCTOBER 1990	950	3,061	4,929	505	452	1,225	1,468	12,590	*Alberta posted the second highest*
b) OCTOBER 1991	924	3,030	4,794	493	447	1,249	1,514	12,452	*rate of growth in employment in*
c) Percent Change	-2.7	-1.0	-2.7	-2.4	-1.1	2.0	3.1	-1.1	*October 1991 over 1990.*
TOTAL WAGES AND SALARIES (adjusted seasonally $millions)									
a) AUGUST 1990	1,731.3	6,376.4	12,310.2	918.7	704.8	2,671.4	3,326.3	28,196.4	*Led by Alberta and B.C., wages*
b) AUGUST 1991	1,782.7	6,534.2	12,755.8	914.1	719.1	2,771.6	3,451.2	29,146.1	*and salaries increased in all*
c) Percent Change	3.0	2.5	3.6	-0.5	2.0	3.8	3.8	3.4	*regions except Manitoba.*
RETAIL TRADE (unadjusted $millions)									
a) JANUARY - AUGUST 1990	9,904	31,308	45,981	4,257	3,616	12,824	15,907	124,163	*Retail trade activity continues*
b) JANUARY - AUGUST 1991	9,438	29,154	42,463	3,979	3,380	12,209	15,378	116,350	*to be weak across the country.*
c) Percent Change	-4.7	-6.9	-7.7	-6.5	-6.5	-4.8	-3.3	-6.3	
MANUFACTURING (value of shipments of goods of own manufacture in $millions)									
a) JANUARY TO SEPTEMBER 1990	10,403.0	54,748.5	115,704.1	5,276.5	2,736.8	13,915.4	18,796.1	221,633.3	*Though moderate, Alberta posted*
b) JANUARY TO SEPTEMBER 1991	10,237.6	50,827.7	108,126.5	4,538.8	2,628.0	14,005.2	17,316.4	207,727.9	*the only growth in shipments*
c) Percent Change	-1.6	-7.2	-6.5	-14.0	-4.0	0.6	-7.9	-6.3	*during the third quarter of 1991.*
AGRICULTURE (Farm Cash Receipts from farming operations $millions)									
a) JANUARY TO JUNE 1990	447.2	1,845.1	2,627.3	1,049.7	2,152.8	2,252.0	592.6	10,966.8	*The value of farm cash receipts*
b) JANUARY TO JUNE 1991	401.7	1,787.5	2,499.4	1,009.3	2,110.2	2,156.1	590.5	10,554.8	*declined across the country over*
c) Percent Change	-10.2	-3.1	-4.9	-3.8	-2.0	-4.3	-0.4	-3.8	*the first half of the year.*
EXPORTS ($millions)									
a) JANUARY TO AUGUST 1990	4,900.6	16,283.3	45,960.5	1,887.3	3,499.0	9,453.6	11,314.1	93,579.2	*Alberta's rate of growth in*
b) JANUARY TO AUGUST 1991	4,649.9	16,443.4	43,197.8	2,031.8	3,718.9	10,819.5	10,449.2	91,500.7	*exports continued to be the highest*
c) Percent Change	-5.1	1.0	-6.0	7.7	6.3	14.4	-7.6	-2.2	*in Canada.*

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